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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
GROUP ART UNIT: 1646

PATENT
Customer No. 22,582
Attorney Docket No. 3495.0187

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:) DEC 20 2002
COEN et al.)
Serial No. 09/501,787) TECH CENTER 1600/2900
Filed: February 11, 2000) Group Art Unit: 1646
) Examiner: M. Brannock, Ph.D.

For: HYBRID TETANUS TOXOID PROTEINS THAT MIGRATE RETROGRADELY
AND TRANSYNAPTICALLY INTO THE CNS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Enclosed is a response to the Final Office Action dated June 18, 2002 (Paper No. 13). The items checked below are appropriate:

- A Petition for extension of time to extend the period for response three months to December 18, 2002, is enclosed together with a fee of \$920.00.
- A Notice of Appeal is enclosed along with the fee of \$320.00.
- A check for \$1,240.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: December 17, 2002